ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಒಂದು ಬಾಗಿಲಿಗೆ ಗಂಧದ ಮರದ ಲೇಪನ ಮಾಡಲು 10 ಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಖರ್ಚಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಪೂರಾ ಬಾಗಿಲಿಗೆ ಆಗತಕ್ಕ ಒಟ್ಟು ವೆಚ್ಚವೆಷ್ಟು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ವಿಚಾರಮಾಡಿ ಹೇಳಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—35 ಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಖರ್ಚಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ನಿಜವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಅದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರಮಾಡಿ ಹೇಳಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ಬಾಗಿಲಿಗೆ ಬರಿ ಗಂಧದ ಮರದ ಲೇಪನ ಮಾತ್ರ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರೋ ಅಥವಾ ಅದರಲ್ಲೇ ಇ೯ಕಾರ್ವಿಂಗ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರೋ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಹಾಗೆ ಕೆತ್ತನೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಅದನ್ನು ಜೋಡಿಸಿರಬಹುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಗಂಧದ ಮರದ ಇ೯ಲೇ ಘಾಡುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ದಂತದ ಇ೯ಲೇ ಸಹ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಅದೂ ಇದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಒಟ್ಟು ಸುಮಾರು ಎರಡು ಕೋಟಿ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳವರೆಗೂ ಅಂದಾಜು ಆಗುತ್ತದೆಂದು ಈಗ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಜಾಂಶವೇನಾದರೂ ಇದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಆ ವಿಷಯ ನನ್ನ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪ್ರಭಾಕರ್.—ವಿಧಾನಸೌಧದ ಬಹುಭಾಗ ಕೆಲಸ ಪೂರ್ತಿಸಿರುವುದರಿಂದ, ಮೊದಲು ಯಾವ ರೀತಿ ಕೆಲಸವಾಗಬೇಕೆಂದು ನಿರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿತ್ತೋ ಅದೇ ರೀತಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಮುಗಿಸುವುದು ಸೂಕ್ತವಲ್ಲವೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಆಗಿರುವ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ತಿಸುವುದು ಸೂಕ್ತ. ಆದರೆ ಖರ್ಚನ್ನೂ ಗಮನದಲ್ಲಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡು ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಸಿ. ಶಾಂತಪ್ಪ.—ಇದರ ಆರಂಭೋತ್ಸವ ಯಾವಾಗ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಿ ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—May I know whether this estimate include, lighting, water supply and sanitary fittings ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Sanitary fittings ಮಾತ್ರ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇರಿರುತ್ತದೆ. Regarding Sanitary amenities inside the building they will be provided.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ರಾಚಯ್ಯ.—ಆಗಿನ ಮರಾಮತ್ತು ಶಾಖೆ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಇದರ ಅಂದಾಜುಗಳನ್ನು ತರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಸ್ಕ್ರುಟಿನಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಮಾಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Med cine (Shortage of drugs.)

Q.—681. Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Srirangapatna).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) (i) whether a notice has been put up in the Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Medicine stating that several drugs are not available in the hospital for dispensing ; (ii) the reason for the shortage of the drugs mentioned therein ;

(*b*) (i) whether it is a fact that the vessels used for the manufacture of those drugs have become unserviceable ; (ii) if so, when this matter was brought to the notice of the Department and a request made for supply of new vessels in time to avoid inconvenience to the public ;

(*c*) the reason for not supplying the vessels to the hospital for manufacture of medicines even though it was brought to the notice of the Head of the Department that the vessels were becoming unserviceable ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) (*i*) Yes.

(*ii*) For want of vessels which have become unserviceable on account of long usage, the drugs have not been compounded.

(*b*) (*i*) Yes.

(*ii*) It was brought to the notice of the department in the month of June 1956.

(*c*) The proposals are since recived. Action will be taken to accord sanction.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Is it not a fact that reports were being submitted drawing attention of the authorities that the vessels were fast becoming unserviceable ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I have said, 'Yes.'

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Why was not any action taken in time to prevent this difficulty, Sir ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Action has been taken to get these vessels repaired and also to purchase new vessels. But while sending his recommendation, the Medical Officer of the Institute had not sent proper recommendation to the Head of the Department mentioning

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the sizes of the vessels and the required number. Just to obtain these particulars, they were sent back to the Medical Officer. As soon as these particulars are received, action will be taken to purchase these vessels for the institution.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—My question is why was not action taken in time so that medicines could be made available to the patients.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Action is being taken by the Head of the Department to call for the required information. It is only when the required information is furnished that action could be taken to purchase the required vessels.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Again Sir, my question was why was not action taken in time.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Action has been taken by the Head of the Department in time.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Is it the opinion of the Government that takin gaction after the vessels become unserviceable would be in time?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—The Medical Officer of the institution reported only during the month of June to the L.S.G. Commissioner for the purchase of these vessels.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Sir, are we to understand that there were no reports before June 1956 ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—This information was not available before June 1956.

Sri R. MUNISWAMIAH.—When was this matter brought to the notice of the Government, Sir ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The report has been submitted in the month of June.

Sri R. MUNISWAMIAH.—Did any M.L.A. write to the concerned Minister ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—No.

Sri R. MUNISWAMIAH.—Will you please refer to your office to know whether any M.L.A.has written to you ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I have received no letter from any M.L.A., Sir.

Sri R. MUNISWAMIAH.—Have I no submitted a report to you and also the Chief Minister about the affairs there ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—You could have disclosed in the first instance alone.

Sri R. MUNISWAMIAH.—I wanted to test the memory of the Hon'ble Minister, Sir.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS.—Who is in charge of this Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Medicine ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Dr. Parthanarayana Pandit.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS.—When did you find out that the vessels were becoming old and that it had become unserviceable and when did he report to the Government and to the Medical Officer ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I think five or six months back a report was sent to the Head of the Department. Government received this information very recently.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS.—Then either the Superintendent should be taken to task or the officer for having delayed so long, to send information to the Government of the unserviceability of these vessels.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—The real fact is that if the Medical Officer had furnished the necessary particulars to the Commissioner for Local Self-Government, I think the Head of the Department could have recommended to Government. For want of details of the vessels, he could not recommend in time.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS.—For an insignificant item like the vessels, the Institute could not manufacture medicines for the public and the general public should be inconvenienced !

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I understand your point. I will enquire into the mtter.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Is it not a fact that the Institute worked independent of any control of any other Governmental Department hitherto, Sir ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—It is under the local Self-Government Commissioner ; it is not independent.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Only very recently you have entrusted the work to the Local Self-Government Commissioner. Before that, it was an independent Institute, the Superintend-

ent being the over all officer of that Institute. Is that not a fact ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—No, there is a Head of Department. There are two Institutions—one at Mysore and one at Bangalore, and the Medical Secretary was directly dealing with these institutes. But they are now under the L.S.G. Commissioner as Head of the Department.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Till it was assigned to the L.S.G. Commissioner, what was the arrangement made for the purchase of medicines and required articles to the Institute ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—This matter was brought to his notice very recently and he has called for the required information and that information has not been furnished by the Medical Officer yet.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Hitherto the Medical Officer in charge of the Institute was asking for a block grant and Government were sanctioning such grants. But now that the Institute has been assigned to the Local Self-Government Commissioner, it has to go in accordance with the procedure that is in existence It is because the Medical Officer does not want to follow this procedure that he is creating an impression in the mind of the public as though something is wrong.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—To some extent it is true.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Will you please take departmental action to see that he does not propagate such a matter to the public or to the M.L.As who visit that Institute ?

Mr. T. CHANNIAH.—Hon'ble Member is correct. The Medical Officer has to obey the order of the Commissioner for L.S.G. He cannot directly correspond with the Government in these matters.

Sri. N. C. NAGAIAH REDDY.—Is it not a fact, Sir, that there was an anti-corruption enquiry against this Medical Officer ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—How does it arise out of this ? I do not allow that.

Sri Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Midicine (Supply of Linen).

Q.—682. Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Srirangapatna).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) (i) whether the tender for the supply of linen and for stitching clothes, etc., for the year 1956 to Sri Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Medicine has been accepted; (ii) if not what is the reason for the delay in the acceptance of this tender ;

(*b*) (i) whether it has come to their notice that the above supplies for the year 1956 have not been made so far ; (ii) if so, what is the reason for the delay ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) (*i*) No. As the tender for the supply of linen did not conform to the rules it was rejected by the Medical Officer in December 1955.

(*ii*) As regards the tenders for stitching of clothes, certain conditions which were very necessary had not been included in the tender notification issued by the Medical Officer. Further, the rates quoted by the lowest tenderer were abnormally low at which rates it would not be possible for him to stitch clothings required for the use of servants. Hence, the Medical Officer has been asked to call for fresh tenders in this respect.

(*b*) (*i*) No. (*ii*) The Medical Officer, has been permitted to purchase clothing at a cost of Rs. 956-15-0.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—In answer to (*a*) you have said that the tender was rejected in December 1955. May I know whether fresh tenders were called for ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Where was the difficulty in accepting that tender, Sir ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I have stated that it did not conform with the rules of the tender.